



# CITY OF SANTA BARBARA

## COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

**AGENDA DATE:** March 24, 2009

**TO:** Mayor and Councilmembers

**FROM:** Administrative Services Division, Police Department

**SUBJECT:** Grant Agreement Between The County Of Santa Barbara And The City of Santa Barbara To Support Law Enforcement Regional Data Sharing System

### RECOMMENDATION:

That Council authorize the City Administrator to sign the Grant Agreement between the County of Santa Barbara and the City of Santa Barbara to support the Law Enforcement Regional Data Sharing System.

### DISCUSSION:

In 1987, Santa Barbara County law enforcement agencies entered into a Joint Powers Agreement (JPA) to formalize a network infrastructure to support the California Law Enforcement Telecommunications System (CLETS) between member agencies and the Department of Justice (DOJ). Since its inception, the network has grown to also support many other systems including Livescan, CalPhoto CalGang, and electronic filing of State mandated reports.

In 2007, working under the auspices of the County Law Enforcement Chiefs (CLEC) organization, a committee was formed to research systems that would enable the JPA member agencies to share data regionally. Agencies who will contribute data have been identified as Santa Barbara Police, Santa Barbara Sheriff, Santa Maria Police, Lompoc Police, UCSB Police, Santa Barbara District Attorney, and Santa Barbara Probation. The Department of Homeland Security awarded Santa Barbara County funding to purchase the data sharing system for the CLEC project. CLEC established that the JPA network, administrated by the Santa Barbara Police Information Technology staff, will purchase the hardware necessary to support the data sharing software and house the system on the JPA infrastructure at the Santa Barbara Police Department. The grant agreement sets forth the City and the County's responsibilities with respect to the grant monies and the parties' responsibilities for purchasing the necessary hardware. The County of Santa Barbara has approved and signed the Agreement.

**BUDGET/FINANCIAL INFORMATION:**

The Grant Agreement establishes reimbursement to the City of Santa Barbara for the hardware purchase.

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**SUBMITTED BY:** Camerino Sanchez, Chief of Police

**APPROVED BY:** City Administrator's Office